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Testimony in support of:
HB 5637: An Act Concerning the Fee for an American Flag on a Nonexpired Motor Vehicle
Driver's License Held by a Veteran
Transportation Committee
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Good afternoon Chairman Maynard, Chairman Guerrero, Representative O'Dea, Senator Boucher, and members of the Transportation Committee. I am here before you to advocate on behalf of HB 5637, AN ACT CONCERNING THE FEE FOR AN AMERICAN FLAG ON A NONEXPIRED MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER'S LICENSE HELD BY A VETERAN.

I am in strong support of this bill because of what it does for our veterans. Our veterans have sacrificed so much to protect the values of this great nation. With this symbol on their driver's license, a veteran may be eligible for certain benefits. However, when these veterans arrive at the Department of Motor Vehicles to get the American flag placed on their license, they are charged \$30 for a full replacement. I believe waiving the fee for an American flag on a non-expired license is the least we can do to give back to these valuable members of our community.

Thank you,

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